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ALTONA TO GET AN EXTRA TRAIN

Rail travellers in Altona will have the service of an extra train during the morning peak-time, beginning next month. The Altona Council was recently advised of the additional service in a letter from the Victorian Railways Department.

But the council has been told that the Railways Department has no funds available for a rail extension to Altona West or for toilets at Galvin station.

Last month, the council sent figures relating to Altona's growth pattern to the Railways Department. The council was told that, because of the lack of funds the Altona railway line could not be extended for some time.

The department told the council that if it, or a private developer, could raise the funds to subsidise the cost something could be done.

A council spokesman told the *Star* this week that the council had already played its part by buying the land for the rail extension.

"What more can we do?", he said.

At the recent council meeting, Cr. Les Crofts attacked the Railways Department for cutting the 7.26 a.m. train from Altona to two carriages.

"This matter was brought up at an ANA meeting recently," said Cr. Crofts. "I was asked if I could raise the matter at council."

Had a look

Cr. Crofts said he had visited the station to investigate.

"I went to the station this morning and noticed that every seat in the 7.26 a.m. train was taken," said Cr. Crofts.

"I think we should write to the Railway Commissioners and in the strongest possible terms indicate our concern and point out that an accident could occur as a result of overcrowding on this train."

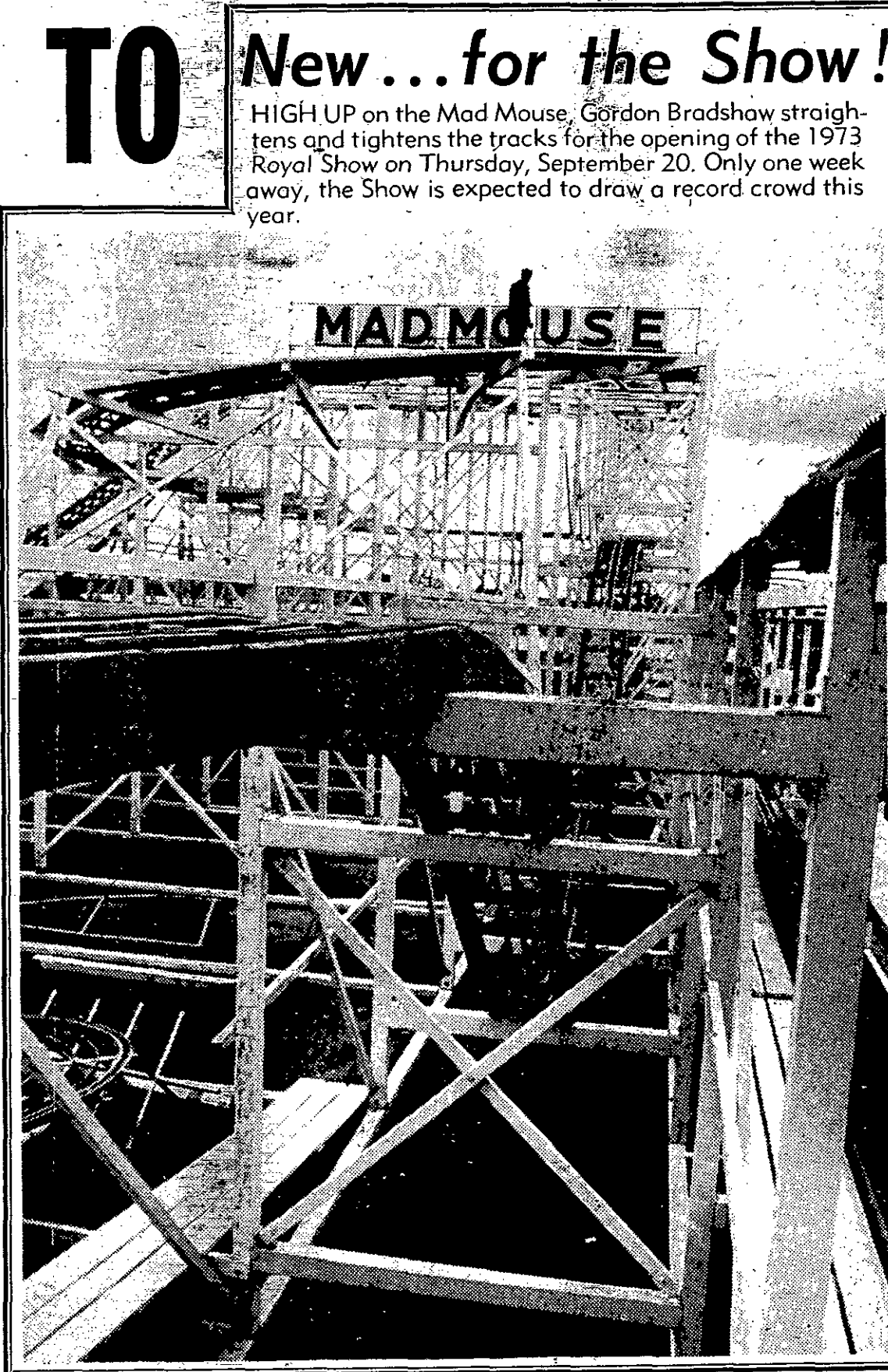
"And at the same time let's inquire about money for the extension of the train service to Altona West," he said.

The Department of the Navy has invoked the Industrial Penal Clauses Act against Williamstown dockyard workers.

The act was brought into force last Friday after the workers adopted a ban on all overtime.

Individual workers can incur penalties of up to \$5.20 a week.

The navy's decision follows union retaliation against the Federal Government's proposed sacking of 190 men from the yards.



New...for the Show!

HIGH UP on the Mad Mouse, Gordon Bradshaw straightens and tightens the tracks for the opening of the 1973 Royal Show on Thursday, September 20. Only one week away, the Show is expected to draw a record crowd this year.

2 OLD RIVALS STILL MATES

Two former council rivals met on friendly terms recently when Cr. Les Crofts and his wife, June, visited former Altona councillor, Wally Cresser and his wife, Phyllis, on their 250-acre property at Nethercote, (N.S.W.), during the school holidays. Cr. and Mrs. Crofts were on their way back from Lithgow, (N.S.W.), where Cr. Crofts had been working for a few days, when they decided to call on the Cressers. The Crofts and Cressers are still good friends although Les Crofts defeated Wally Cresser in the Altona Council election four years ago.

Cr. Crofts told the *Star*: "Wally runs about 45 cattle and several acres of oats on his property near Eden."

"Unlike parts of northern Victoria, the Eden area is feeling the effects of a drought at the moment and Wally has to battle to keep the kangaroos off his property."

Mrs. Cresser will be remembered by Altona folk for her work on the Seaholme primary school committee. She wrote the history of the school.

Wally Cresser still holds the record as Altona's longest serving councillor. He spent 10 years on the council. His son, Ross, works on fishing boats at Eden. Another son, Geoffrey, is working in Sydney.

Penalties by Navy over docks sackings

First sackings are expected at the end of the month unless the Government changes its policy.

Mr. Bob Hawke, president of the ACTU, and union officials, will fly to Canberra on Monday, to discuss the issue with Mr. Lance Barnard, Minister for Defence.

Yesterday union officials declared their stand and issued an ultimatum to the Government.

Mr. Karl Tullock, president of the combined union shop committee, said: "We will not accept the sackings under any conditions." "We will make this clear to Mr. Barnard."

"It is the Government's responsibility to find other work for the dockyards. If it doesn't do this, we will fight."

Mr. Tullock said the union had worked out alternative proposals to put to Mr. Barnard on Monday.

In Canberra, a spokesman for Mr. Barnard said he would not comment until after Monday.

One union official said he expected men to be laid off at munitions and ordnance works and the Commonwealth Aircraft Factory in Footscray.

"The number of men in danger of losing their jobs could be as high as 4000," he said.

The naval dock yard employs 1370 industrial workers. It also has about 600 staff workers.

One senior public servant said the retrenchments would not affect the staff workers.

"The Government will have to transfer them to other branches," he said.

Both Williamstown and Footscray councils have expressed concern at the threat of sackings.

The retiring mayor of Williamstown, Cr. Reg McDonald said yesterday: "Every time Labor gets in they cut down on ships."

At Footscray, the council adopted a resolution on Monday night to ask Mr.

Ralph Willis MHR for Gelibrand to seek assurances from Mr. Barnard that alternative uses would be found for the dockyards and that there would be full employment.

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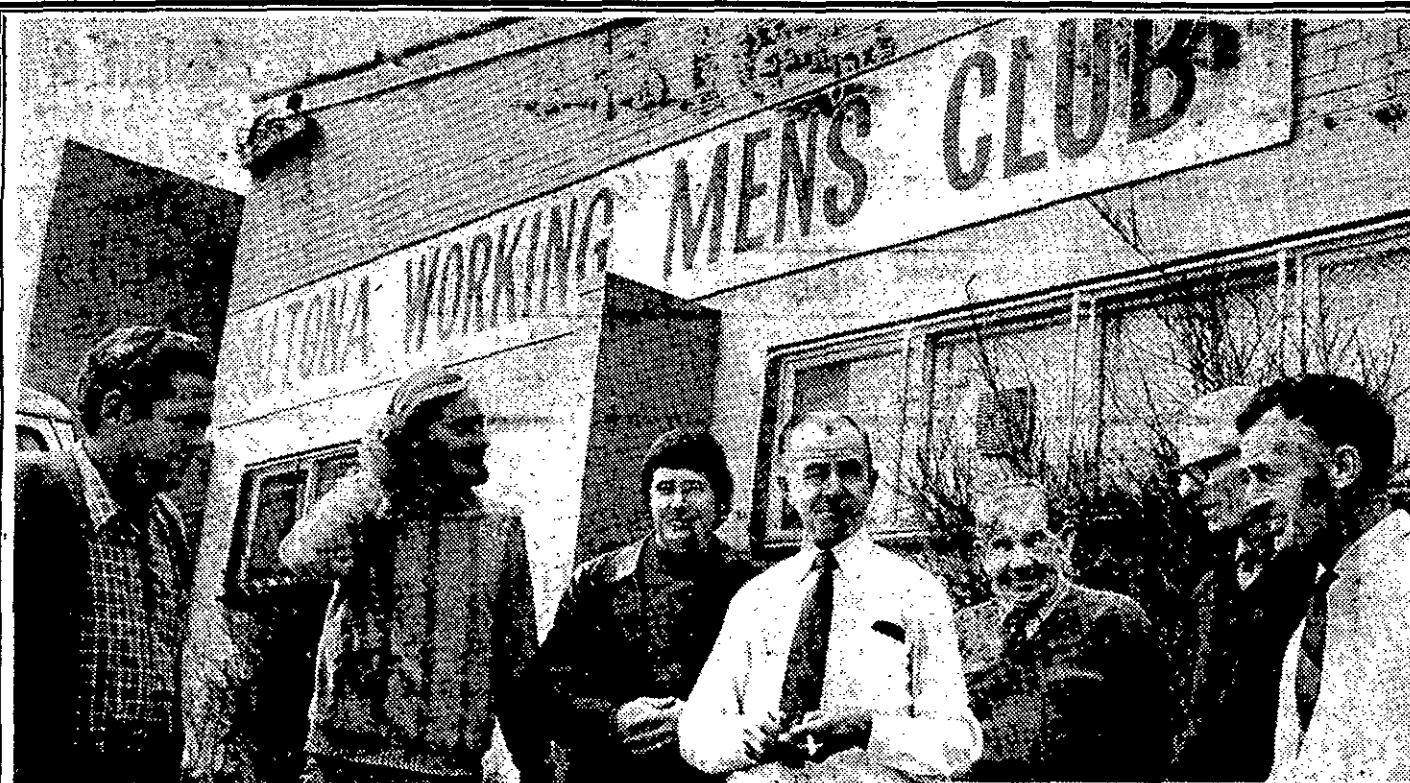
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Well-known faces at the Altona Working Men's Club are (left to right) Keith Neylan, Mick Oram, Kevin Bugden, Arthur Dillon (manager), Bill Spence, Jim Bett and president Charlie Thompson.



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FUN FOR ALTONA'S WORKERS

The biggest family in Altona is found at the Altona Working Men's Club.

The 1500 members are mostly on first-name terms and they have the best indoor bowling team in Australia.

The team won the 'Australian champion' ship last year.

When Mr. Bill Spence thought of the idea for the club in 1959, there was nowhere for the working man to go. No social clubs, no entertainment, no activity.

Now all that is changed, thanks to Mr. Spence.

Club members get such entertainers as Barry Crocker, Les Girls, Alexandra the Great and Johnny Farnham on their variety nights.

Sports include darts, billiards, table tennis, indoor and outdoor bowls. The club is open every day from 9 a.m.-11.30 p.m.

The president of the club, Mr. Charlie Thompson, joined soon after the club was formed in 1959. He says members enjoy a social atmosphere.

Mr. Thompson who

has a nursery in Altona, spends most of his spare time working at the club. He writes the club's newsletter.

"You have to scheme and trick people into telling you what they've done to put into the newsletter," Mr. Thompson said with obvious relish.

"I enjoy it, even though some of them wouldn't talk to me any more," he added.

Ages of members range from the teens to the late 80s.

Best-known members include: Mr. Bill Spence and his wife, Marge, Mr. Bill Parker, the oldest member, who is in hospital at the moment (Mr. Parker bought a billiard table for the club); Mr. Stan Rowe, an active member, Mr. Percy Sutcliffe, and his wife, Lal.

Mr. Sutcliffe is at the door of the club every Saturday night taking the tickets.

Other prominent members are Mr. Gordon Stirling, the club's first secretary; vice-president Mr. Keith Neylan, and Mr. Bill Jones, treasurer.

If getting ribbed is a sign of popularity, then Mr. Tommy Gough is the best-loved member of the club.

A good-natured Irishman, he lets everyone pick on him.

When Mr. Gough was going away on his holidays, the newsletter said: "We'll all be pleased to see him go."

"He knows he's popular, I'm sure he's thrilled to bits," Mr. Thompson said.

"When the club was new, everybody came together to clean it up," Mr. Thompson remembers.

"Now it's a business, but it's still like a big family," he added.

The club plans building extensions in January to accommodate new members.

A welcome sight for the working man on his way home . . . many of them drop in for a drink and a chat. It's a pleasant, roomy place now — but there are plans to extend it soon.

Val's Column



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Possibly a little premature for those of us who have spent a cold winter, but now is the time to keep in mind Cyclax's new Sun Drenched make-up shades.

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Firstly, Bronze Sun is a deep, dark tan for the olive skin that bronzes beautifully.

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'Fight for aged' in the west

A public meeting will be held on September 20 to launch "The Fight for the Aged" in the western suburbs.

The meeting will be held at 8 p.m. in the Footscray Institute of Technology at the corner of Ballarat Rd. and Fransworth Avenue.

The convener of the meeting, Mr. George Seelaf, former secretary of the Meat Workers' Union, said the meeting would be the first step towards obtaining adequate facilities in the area.

Barrister complains: no papers

A barrister claimed at Footscray Court last Thursday, that a police prosecutor had promised him copies of documents relating to charges against his client, but they had not been provided.

Mr. H. A. Aizen made the claim while seeking an adjournment of charges against Joseph Zucco, of Sixth Avenue, Altona North.

Mr. G. Miller, SM, granted the application and adjourned the charges to December, 6.

Mr. Aizen said the police prosecutor, Senior Sergeant Alf Barnham, appeared at the previous mention of the charges last month. Sergeant Barnham told him he would be supplied with copies of records of interviews between police and Zucco if he wrote to the officer-in-charge of Footscray police station.

He said he did this and received no reply. He wrote a second time and received a reply stating the copies would not be forthcoming.

It had taken a month to be notified by police the documents would not be provided, despite a statement they would.

Police prosecutor, Sergeant H. Voigt, said he could proceed and had known nothing of the application for an adjournment, or the reason, until 9.30 that morning.

Mr. Miller said that even if copies of the documents had been handed to Zucco, there was no reason why they should not be supplied to Mr. Aizen.

"What little exists now is totally inadequate," he said.

"And the Footscray Council is one of the worst offenders."

"Footscray has the highest proportion — 6800 — of aged people living west of the Yarra yet it does not employ a welfare officer for general purposes, much less one for the needs of the elderly."

"It does not have one hospital for the aged nor one hostel for the aged."

"The situation is the same with day care hospitals and nursing home beds — again nil."

Mr. Seelaf said it would be difficult to find 30 beds in the western suburbs for the needs of the aged.

He said the general situation was equally bad in Williamstown, Altona, Sunshine, Werribee, Melton and Keilor.

"However, a small municipality like Williamstown can operate a day-care hospital and that council and Altona, Sunshine and Keilor can afford social welfare officers."

Mr. Seelaf said that most of the wealthy suburbs east of the Yarra had facilities for the aged.

"This means if an elderly resident from the west needs nursing he or she has to go to the other side of Melbourne."

"It places these people in a completely new environment which they should not have to endure."

"It also places a strain on their relatives. It is one thing to pop into a hospital in Geelong Rd., Footscray, yet it is a day's work to visit at Box Hill or Ringwood."

Mr. Seelaf said the meeting was aimed at formulating ways of improving conditions for the aged.

It will be addressed by Mr. Hec McIvor, former MHR for Gellibrand, and representatives from the Victorian Council On Ageing.



GEORGE SEELAF... still battling

Man assaults woman in train, gaoled

"Because she was a woman" was the excuse given by a man charged with indecent assault, police told Footscray Court last Thursday.

"I am lonely and I need a woman," John Sporish of Tongue Street, Yarraville, was alleged to have told police.

Mr. G. Miller, SM, sentenced Sporish to terms of six and three months' imprisonment, to be served concurrently.

Sporish was charged with unlawful and indecent assault; assaulting a female; assaulting Martin Morris, of Pickett Street, Footscray, with a bottle; offensive behavior in a train and being drunk and disorderly at Footscray railway station.

He pleaded guilty to the drunk and disorderly charge, but gave confused answers to the other charges, and Mr. Miller entered not guilty pleas.

A Romond Street, Altona, woman gave evidence she boarded a Footscray-bound train at Flinders Street about 10.30 p.m. on August 24.

Martin Morris was seated next to her.

Sporish, who was drunk, boarded the train at Spencer Street and sat opposite them, she said.

He leaned forward and put his hand on her leg, above her dress, she said.

She pushed him away and he repeated the act. She pushed him away again and after trying to speak to her, Mr. Morris told him to mind his own business and they moved to another compartment, the woman said.

HAD BOTTLE

After they moved, she looked up and saw Sporish coming at Mr. Morris with a beer bottle, she said.

One of several youths in the compartment helped Mr. Morris disarm him. To Mr. Miller, she said

Sporish was holding the bottle by the neck and had it raised above his head.

Mr. Morris gave similar evidence. He said after the second time Sporish indecently assaulted her he wanted to hit him, but the woman restrained him.

To Mr. Miller, he said he knew Sporish intended attacking him with the bottle because he was looking straight at him and coming towards him.

Constable R. D. Parsons, of Footscray, gave evidence he arrested Sporish at Footscray railway station about 11.15 p.m. on August 24, charged him with being drunk and disorderly and locked him up.

He interviewed him about 5.30 a.m. the next day regarding the allegations of assault and offensive behavior.

Sporish admitted having placed his hand on the woman's leg above her dress and asked his excuse for this replied, "because she was a woman".

Sporish added, "I am lonely and I need a woman," and "because I am a man and she is a woman," Const. Parsons said.

Sporish admitted in court he had been drunk, but denied the other allegations.

Mr. Miller said he was satisfied the charges were proved.

He sentenced Sporish to six months' imprisonment on the unlawful and indecent assault charge and three months' on the assault with a bottle count to be served concurrently.

Sergeant H. Voigt, prosecuting, withdrew the assault of a female and offensive behavior charges and Mr. Miller convicted and discharged Sporish on the drunk charge.

LOUTS BASH TPI MAN

A totally and permanently incapacitated pensioner has been the victim of an unprovoked attack by two youths.

The pensioner is Mr. Herbert Mills, of McIntosh Road, Altona North.

WRC MAN QUILTS POST

Bill Williams, secretary of the Western Region Commission, has resigned.

His resignation follows the formalisation of the 10-council commission and a Federal grant of \$3 million.

Mr. Williams has been secretary of the WRC since January this year. He is believed to have resigned over a payment wrangle.

Mr. Williams, a former editor of Truth and a top public-relations executive, is the industrial promotional officer for Sunshine Council.

He was seconded to the WRC at its formation.

Since then his fees have been paid by the Sunshine Council.

This week, Mr. Williams said he resigned because he did not think it "was fair for Sunshine to cover the costs."

"The council allowed me to work as secretary to the commission for the past nine months," he said.

"However, my real job is with the council and not the WRC."

"I felt I had to resign until a suitable arrangement was made. It is impossible for Sunshine to carry the full cost."

Mr. Williams said he would remain as secretary to the commission until a solution was found.

The chairman of the commission, Cr. Don Myers, of Werribee, said he hoped that arrangements could be worked out to allow Mr. Williams to stay as secretary on an alternative basis.

"I will be contacting Canberra to seek direction on the matter," he said.

Cr. Myers said the commission was grateful to the Sunshine Council for allowing Mr. Williams to work with the commission.

"I also believe that when the \$3 million grant comes through, the council should be reimbursed for a Mr. Williams' excellent services."

Mr. Williams, with Mr. Phillip Cairns, private secretary to Dr. Jim Cairns, are regarded as the main force in bringing the WRC into being.

Some local Government sources said that Mr. Williams was essential to the future of the commission.

The attack was in Blackshaw Road, Newport, about 11.20 p.m. last Sunday.

When he neared the intersection with Vernan Street, two youths appeared in front of him and attacked him, police have been told.

Mr. Mills received cuts and bruises to the left side of his head and a bruised left eye.

The youths ran when a passing motorist, Mr. Tony Loricchiella, of Brunswick, saw the attack and stopped his car.

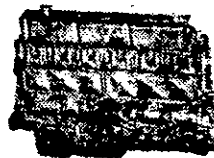
Mr. Loricchiella reported the attack to police.

Because of the darkness, neither he nor Mr. Mills was able to give police a description of the youths.

Detectives from Footscray CIB are investigating.

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Lamps offer the collector a wide and interesting field.

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Lamps can be found in all shapes and sizes, made from a variety of materials, such as brass, porcelain, and cast metals.

Nowadays we tend to forget how hard it was to obtain light before electricity. We take for granted the sudden flash of light so easily obtained by flicking a switch.

The first lamps were very simple, consisting usually of a simple wick in a container of flammable fluid.

Very early, lamps were even made of sunbaked clay.

Over the centuries, the lamp developed until the beautiful, ornate examples (much favored by collectors) of Victorian times.

People such as Benjamin Franklin and a Swiss chemist, Aime Argand, are credited with improving the lamp.

The most popular fluid at first was whale oil and it cost from 30 cents to 50 cents a gallon during the 1850s. In the 19th century, kerosene replaced whale oil. During the late 1870s, "Porters Burning Fluid" (camphene) was developed.

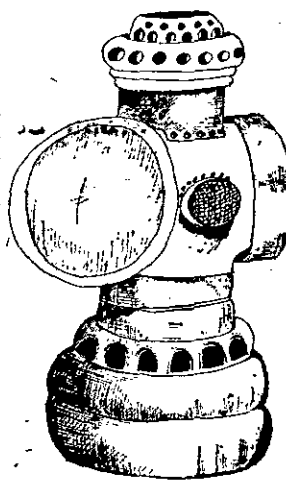
The wick used early was just a simple twisted rag affair. Earlier they were just reeds soaked in burnable fluid. These crude wicks were replaced by a refined twisted cotton wick.

The first enclosed fluid container lamps were an improvement upon the previous open (exposed) fluid container lamps.

These lamps were most popular in glass and metals such as pewter. There was a very simple stopper arrangement at the top of the container holding the wick into the fluid. At this stage of the lamp's development the wick was adjusted by simply lifting it with a pin.

The Swiss chemist, Argand, developed two con-

By J. Ferris



Buggy lamp

centric cylinders which supported the wick. This, plus the placement of a glass chimney, gave a more brilliant light than before.

Handing lamps were very elaborate and made their appearance in the 1880s. They were hung from the ceilings of the hallways and libraries.

A counterpoise weight system was used to raise and lower them for lighting. The shades were beautifully etched and were of all colors — blue, ruby, as well as satin glass.

With the advent of the motor car and, earlier, the coach and horse, ways of lighting at night were developed. Railways lamps also belonged to this category. They are wanted by collectors today.

The time lamp of Victorian days was patented as the "time-indicating lamp". The story goes that these lamps were used for courting.

When the lamp was full, the oil level would read 8 p.m. (proper hour of courting). As the oil burned, it would pass the 9, 10 and 11 level, all the way to 6 a.m. What self-respecting Victorian lass would be out at that time?

The 1870s were the

golden age of miniature kerosene lamps. These were patented under such names as "The Little Nutmeg," "Little Buttercup," "Little Jewell" and "Little Harry".

Bracket lamps were arranged in a swinging frame which could be attached to the wall. They could be easily moved to various angles and were most popular in the kitchen and bathroom.

Around the 1880s lamps became very ornate and quite beautiful. They usually consisted of frosted, pressed glass shades, black iron bases and porcelain, decorated stems — the fittings were brass.

Other examples to look for are fairy lamps, street lamps, piano lamps, mantle lamps, Christmas tree lamps and figure stem lamps.

Next week Mr. Ferris will talk about Victorian lamps.

Anyone who has an item to be assessed could write and send a photograph to Mr. Ferris, C/- the Williamstown Advertiser.

YOUTH CLUB APPEAL

Altona Youth Club appeals for responsible adults to give a little time for community work.

The lack of interest and support for the Altona Youth Club by adults is a sign of their disinterest in young people, Cr. W. L. J. Crofts, president of the club said at the annual meeting last week.

"We have the same few faces at our meetings and it is a credit to those who do attend that our club is on such a sound financial footing," Cr. Crofts added.

The club has been opened five nights a week for a wide range of activities, including basketball, table tennis, billiards, marching, Jiu jitsu, ballet and square dancing.

The marching girls went to Tasmania at Easter and brought back many awards, including second best team in Australia.

Cr. Crofts was elected president. Other new office bearers are: vice-presidents, Mr. A. M. Browne, Mr. A. L. Heiner; treasurer, Mr. V. R. C. Simmons; assistant treasurer, Mr. Michael Higgins; secretary, Mrs. B. Hyde; publicity officer, Mr. T. G. McGarry.

LIONS' RAFFLE

Mrs. A. Hollibone, of 11 Cresser Street, Altona North, won the first prize (a stereogram) in the Lions Club of Footscray raffle.

The winning ticket was No. 33.

Second prize (a transistor radio) went to ticket No. 1115, Mr. W. Nevill, C/- Town Hall, Footscray.

Schools need help against violence

The staff association of Altona High School feels it is hypocritical to accuse schools of contributing to the problem of violence, when they are denied the facilities that might help them to improve the situation.

The association said this in reply to a statement by the State committee investigating bashing, that schools actually contributed to acts of violence because they produce drop-outs.

A letter from the association said: "We do not wish to examine the paradox of a school without an 'inbuilt failure system' performing the requisite task of ranking children for a competitive socio-economic system, but we wish to take a positive attitude to this problem.

"We heartily concur with Mr. Rossiter's suggestion that school facilities be used to the fullest, but first we need to get them.

Altona High School needs:

- A Commonwealth science block.
- A Commonwealth Library.
- A "Matriculation block".
- An assembly hall — gymnasium.
- Stable staffing.

- Some physical education teachers.

- Adequate psychology and guidance staff.

- Remedial teachers for the huge reading problem of the school.

"Most high schools in more favored regions have a high proportion of these facilities," the letter pointed out.

THANKS FOR DONATION

Altona Council has received a letter of thanks for its donation to the Western Suburbs Spastic-Relief Association.

Association Secretary, Mrs. Jean Bonser wrote: "It gives me great pleasure to forward receipt to council for their generous donation to our fund.

"On behalf of our members, I would like to convey our sincere thanks to the Altona City Council for their generous support.

Following a motion by Cr. Doug Grant, council noted the information.

Altona still waits for rail extension

By RON COLEMAN

Negotiations between Altona Council and the Victorian Railways Department over the long overdue rail extension to Altona West and a better train service for Altona rail commuters, have become reminiscent of the award-winning western film, *High Noon*.

In the screen classic tension mounted as the town marshal, played by the late Gary Cooper, waited and waited for a train load of gunmen which seemed destined never to arrive.

Similarly Altona has waited and Altona council-

pillors (enough to form a big posse) have played their parts and "niggled" the Railways Department "for a better deal for Altona residents".

Council has long since purchased the land necessary for the one-mile rail extension to Altona West and for years Altona's poor train service was the "annual council election issue".

But despite continual correspondence between council and the Railways Department, council has always been given the same reply. The department does not have the money for the extension.

Last month, council again wrote to the department and the answer was the same.

But this time council

has been told if it, or a private developer can subsidise the project, it may be on.

A council spokesman this week told the Star, council has already purchased the land for the extension and this in itself is substantial.

But Altona rail commuters may get a "special bonus" next month. Following complaints by council over the two carriage 7.26 a.m. train which takes commuters only as far as Newport, the department is considering putting on an extra train during the morning peak hours, next month.

Meanwhile Altona will have to wait for its rail extension.

COUNCIL LOSES POLLUTION EYE

Altona Council's "number two" air monitoring machine had been returned to the manufacturers following its breakdown after extensive repairs, Senior Health Inspector, Mr. John Russell reported to the recent meeting of Altona Council.

Mr. Russell said routine air sampling had continued on the "number one" machine in the Altona North area.

partment of the Civic Offices has also been returned to an instrument company, as recent repairs failed to rectify the problem.

"The wind direction machine in the Health Department," said Mr. Russell.

Anti-flats petition

At least 22 Altona residents are objecting to plans for the construction of double storey flats at 55 Rayner Street. They have signed a petition to this effect.

The petition was received at the recent meeting to give councillors the opportunity to discuss the objections with a deputation from the petitioners.

The petition was accompanied by supporting letters.

Commenting on the petition, Cr. Les Crofts said: "These people are suggest-

ing their way of life and privacy will be disrupted if council permits these flats. However council has not yet given a permit.

"I can agree with their concern. I'll move that we receive the petition and meet a deputation in committee".

The motion was seconded by Cr. Doug Grant who said: "We have received no application to build the flats yet."

A season of celebration

The Altona Presbyterian Church will hold a "Season of Celebration" from September 23 to October 21, in order to offer all Presbyterians in Altona to celebrate the faith they share and to reconsider the importance of faith to life.

The Moderator Designate, the Rev. Principal R. Anderson will be participating in the celebration, with the director of Home Missions, the Rev. S. Smale.

Calendar of events:
September 23, 9.15 a.m. — "Celebrating the Temple of God" the Rev. A. Ridgway.
September 30, 9.15 a.m. — "Celebration and Obedience", the Rev. Prin. R. Anderson.
October 7, 10 a.m. — "Family Service" Mr. and Mrs. J. Hudson and Family, Mr. and Mrs. M. Kidd and family.
October 14, 9.15 a.m. — "Youth in the Church" and "Celebrating Life" the Rev. A. Ridgway and Youth.
October 21, 9.15 a.m. — "Celebrating Change" the Rev. S. Smale.

Pensioner attack

A totally and permanently incapacitated pensioner has been the victim of an unprovoked attack by two youths.

The pensioner is Mr. Herbert Mills, of McIntosh Road, Altona North.

The attack was in Blackshaws Road, Newport, about 11.20 p.m. last Sunday.

When he neared the intersection with Vernan Street, two youths

appeared in front of him and attacked him, police have been told.

Mr. Mills received lacerations and bruises to the left side of his head and a bruised left eye.

The youths ran when a passing motorist, Mr. Tony Loricchiella, of

Brunswick, saw the attack and stopped his car.

Mr. Loricchiella reported the attack to police.

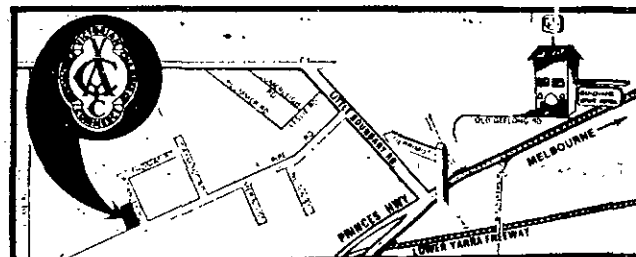
Because of the darkness, neither he nor Mr. Mills were able to give police a description of the youths.

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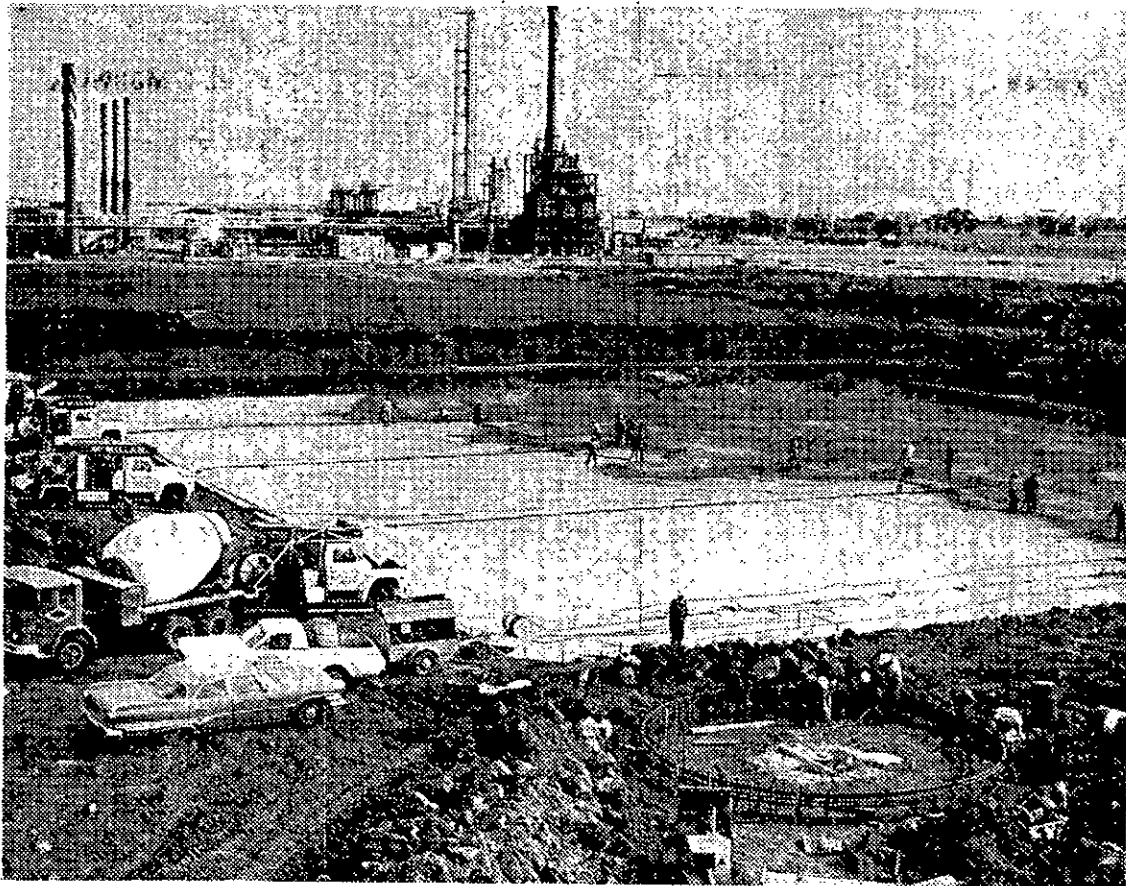
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● Site meeting for company project team. From left, Bob Allica, staff engineer, Frank Ranger, construction foreman, Tom Noonan, process co-ordinator.



The Altona Petrochemical Company, at the corner of Kororoit Creek Road and Maidstone Street has invested \$530,000 in a plant to purify the water effluent from its operation.

The plant has been designed to achieve the high purity specified by the Environmental Protection Authority.

The new water effluent treatment plant consists of a large stormwater hold-up pond, oil separators, settling and equalisation ponds, sand filters, biological filters, water clarifiers and sludge concentrators.

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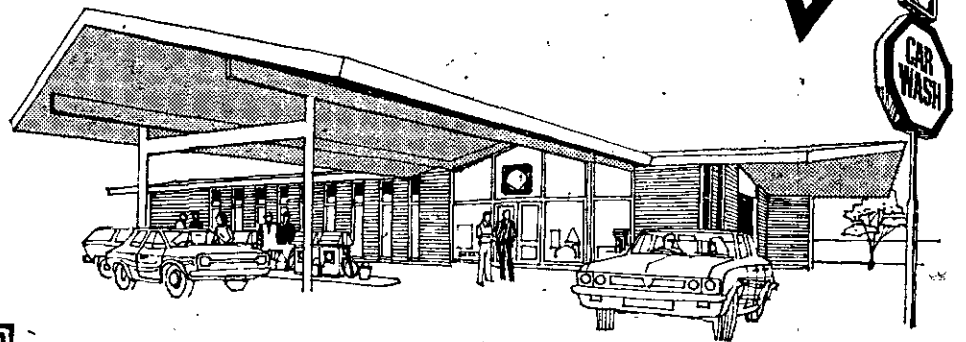
According to a company spokesman, the method of treating the water effluent represents a break-through in technology.

During the past two years the company has invested approximately \$900,000 under its environmental programme.

The water effluent treatment facilities are part of the continual effort by the Altona Petrochemical Company to improve the environment for the benefit of the community.

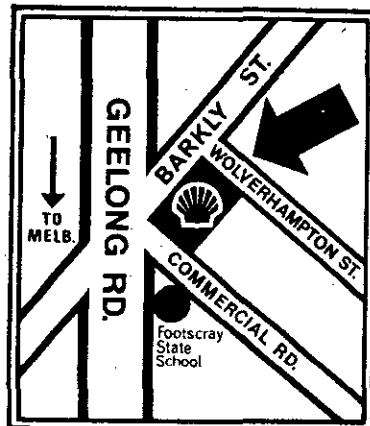
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COFFEY J. J. (Mick). — Passed away 9.9.72. Treasured memories of a wonderful man. — Inserted by brother Fred, sister Maggie and nephew Wal.

IN MEMORIAM

BAILLIE, Mabel Elizabeth. — Passed away 17.9.72. God grant me the serenity, To accept the things I cannot change, The courage to change the things I can, And the wisdom to know the difference. How we miss you mum. — Norma, Craig and Wade.

JONES, Bryn Arthur. — Passed away 16th September 1970. Memories don't fade, They lie to deep, Of the man we loved, But could not keep. Loved father of Wenda, father-in-law of Rex, Poppy of Colin, Trevor and Denise.

IN MEMORIAM

COULSTON, Hughie (M.C.). — 11.9.72. One year ago today comes with sad regret, A day we cannot forget, The end was sudden, The shock severe, Our whole world fell apart as you were taken from our home, For each of us he did his best, There's many a silent tear And a heartache no one can heal, A wonderful husband and father we'll never forget. — Your loving wife Jean and family Graeme and Pam.

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JONES, Bryn Arthur. — Passed away 16 September 1970. Not just today, But every day, We remember. Loved father of Robert, father-in-law of Kerry.

JONES, Bryn Arthur. — Passed away 16th September, 1970. No longer with us, Our lives to share, But in our hearts, You're always there. — Loving daughters, Susanne and Ann.

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POLWARTH, Hilda Margaret. — Loving memories of our loving mother passed away September 11, 1972. Deep in our hearts a memory is kept, Of a mother we loved and will never forget. — Bert, Rex and Robert, Fay, Roma and Betty and loved Nana of 10 grandchildren.

REID, Robert Rae. — In loving memory of my dearly beloved husband passed away Sept. 17th, 1971. He was a husband so precious and rare, content in his home and always there, No one could be more kind and true, What treasured memories darling I have of you. May God bless those loving hands that did so much for me. I miss you Bob. — Your ever loving wife Bella.

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WHEAR, Cheryl Elizabeth. — 13/9/1971. Cherished memories of our loved one — Barry and Aaron.

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Altona win WS flag

Altona City won Western Suburban Football League's 1973 premier-ship pennant with a convincing 44 point win against Newport last Saturday.

They lead W'town cricketers

Williamstown RSL Cricket Club officials elected for the forthcoming 1973-74 season are:

President, E. (Junior) Jackson; vice-presidents, B. Hall, G. Stewart, J. Dalton, H. Johnson, J. Andrews, R. Knight, L. De-lonmaire, J. McDonald, J. Harris, E. Jordan, B. Catal, B. Miles; treasurer, J. Taylor; secretary, M. Johns; assistant secretary, G. Knight; social secretary, M. Knight.

Practice will be held at Fearon Reserve on Monday, September 17, at 5 p.m.

The club will play Sunshine in a one-day game at Dempster Oval on Saturday, October 6.

Williamstown also play a one-day fixture against Elsternwick the following week.

Lacrosse stars

Altona High School students Shane Hanaiven and Brian McKinnon were members of the All High schools' lacrosse team which recently defeated All Techs 21-7.

Newport kicked 8.12 to Altona City's 14.20.

Brooklyn defeated Altona City 14.18 (102) to 13.16 (94) in second division.

And Williamstown Fourths lead Port Melbourne Fourths by four points in last weekend's WS Under-17 Grand Final.

Scores: Williamstown 11.12 (78) d. Port Melbourne 11.8 (74).

Goals: John Sinnott, 2, Glenn Hancock, Nev. Kerres, Brian Muldowney, John Sedgeway, Peter Hickey, Adrian Sims, Gary Fitzpatrick, Jeff Sandells.

Best: Steven Crossley, Graeme Tweedly, Jeff Sandells, Robert Kenny, Peter Hickey, Adrian Sims.

Graeme Dean won the side's best-and-fairest award ahead of Jeff Sandells and Nev. Kerres.

Williamstown seniors will meet Preston in the lightning premiership series at St. Kilda Junction Oval next Sunday, September 16, starting at 1.05 p.m.

Hockey under lights now

Altona Council has received a letter of thanks from Altona Hockey Club for council's expediency in installing flood lighting for the club.

Town in CYMS grand final

After lagging behind all day, Williamstown seniors fought their way back in the last quarter to sneak into the grand final of the CYMS football competition.

Who's for cricket?

New members are always welcome at the Williamstown RSL Cricket Club.

The next practice will be held on Monday, September 17, at the Fearon Reserve, at 5 p.m.

The following officers have been elected at the club's annual meeting:

Patron, Alan O'Farrell, president, E. Jackson, treasurer, Jack Taylor, social secretary, M. Knight, assistant secretary, A. Knight.

Green opens

Mrs. J. Norton declared the bowling season open at the Newport Bowling Club last week. Special guests were the newly elected Mayoress, Mrs. B. Clancy, and Mrs. Morley.

Winners were: S. M. Michael, E. Snow, B. Young, and G. Clark. Runners-up: S. V. Hartnett, A. Hynes, E. Brown, and J. O'Halloran.

The door prize was won by C. Beardmore.

Kicking with a strong breeze, West Ivanhoe scored three goals before Town opened their account.

In the second quarter Town fumbled badly and wasted many opportunities to goal.

At the 20-minute mark they lagged by more than three goals. But a late burst brought them back into the match.

Half-time scores: Williamstown 7.5 (47), West Ivanhoe 7.7 (49).

West Ivanhoe opened a big lead in the third quarter but Williamstown fought back again.

Final: Williamstown 12.18 (90), West Ivanhoe 12.12 (84).

Best players: D. Jones, J. Murphy, R. Grima.

Goals: D. Jones, 3, R. Zammit, 2, R. Grima, M. Buckley, J. Lewer, B. Norton, K. Halley, J. Murphy and W. Dear.

Williamstown play South Melbourne in the Grand Final on Saturday (September 15).

The match is to be played at Mordialloc Football Ground starting at 2.30 p.m.

What!

"It won't be long before 18-year-olds are playing bowls," forecast RVBA councillor Jack Lorenz.

Mr. Lorenz was speaking at Williams-town Bowling Club's official opening for the 1973-74 season.

The opening was held on Friday, August 31.

Comedian Bob Haynes entertained — with a seemingly endless supply of jokes — throughout the evening.

Altona boys are 'hot' in tennis

Altona has four teams in the semi-finals of the Western Suburbs under-19 winter tennis competition next Sunday. Once again, Altona boys' teams dominate the competition.

Two boys' teams are in the section one semi-finals and one in section two. The girls' section two team has also made the steps.

Stephen and Greg Whitecross, members of the boys' section one No. 2 team, played in the Victorian junior masters tournament last week. Stephen made the semi-finals of the under-19 singles and Greg won the under-13 singles and was runner-up in the doubles.

Teams for this Sunday's under-19 competitions are:

Boys' section one (No. 1) v. Diggers at Yarraville: I. Colling (capt.), A. Findlay, M. Gilson, N. Heyme.

Boys' section one (No. 2) v. Kingsville at Diggers: S. Whitecross (capt.), G. Clark, G. Whitecross, G. Scott.

Boys' section two v. Spotswood at Kingsville: G. Brown (capt.), T. Ings, K. Heyme, B. Thomas.

Girls' section two v. Youth Club at Spotswood: N. Colvan (capt.), J. Stracey, J. Kemp, W. Jeffs.

Any player who is not available should notify W. Thomas (398 2092) on Friday night.

On Saturday at 2 p.m., the semi-finals of the A grade men's doubles will be played between D. Murphy and L. Meyers and G. Crofts and I. Colling. Winners of the match will meet S. Whitecross and W. Thomas.

Interested spectators are invited to watch any of the finals matches.

Club members are reminded of the annual presentation night on Saturday, October 6, at the Altona Civic Hall. Trophies will be awarded to winners of the club championships, the most improved player and best first year players.

Tickets can be bought from Jane Young, Dan Murphy, Sylvia Adcock, Susan Jeffrey and Wayne Thomas.

Membership fees are due for the new season. Frank Heyme will be at the courts on Saturday at 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. and Wayne Thomas will collect juniors' fees from 9 a.m. on Sunday. Some players still owe fees for the club championships and Wayne Thomas will collect these on Sunday morning.

GOLF

Results of recent competitions conducted by Koorringal Golf Club Associates are:

September 4, guest day — Canadian foursomes, Mrs. Nancy Turnbull/Mrs. M. Murphy, 93 gross on a count back from Mrs. D. Grant Mrs. S. Daniels; Mrs. I. Lang/Mrs. M. Her-rick, 81½ nett; Mrs. G. Preston/Mrs. B. Munro, 29 putts.

The club secretary, Mr. R. Byrne wrote: "Generally, at this stage, members have expressed their satisfaction with the lights operation. We feel it can only help promote the standard of hockey in Altona."

Commenting on the letter, Cr. Ray Richards said: "The hockey club is probably one of the wealthiest clubs in Altona and they're active."

LACROSSE GIRLS SHOW PROMISE

Newport Ladies' Lacrosse Club had a satisfying season although it lost six senior players through the year.

They had a young team — mostly of first-year players — but it showed a lot of potential.

The team had five girls in the Victorian junior team, three of them were first-year players.

Players chosen were: Suzanne Mellis, Leonie Collins, Vivian Carling, Vicki Hughes, and Julie Cahill.

The annual presentation night held at the Munich

Barrel was a great success.

Trophies were won by the following:

Best and fairest: (given by the club) Barbara Rich-er.

Second best and fairest: (Mrs. V. Mellis), Chris Connell.

Most consistent: (Collins and Davey Motors) Suzanne Mellis.

Most improved: (Mr. and Mrs. Connell) Elaine Matthews.

Best first-year: (Mrs. B. Collins) Vivian Carling.

Most attentive at training: (J. Matthews) Sharon Baker.

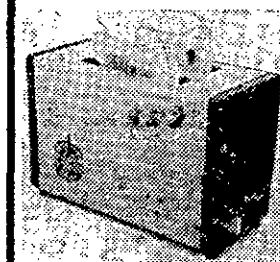
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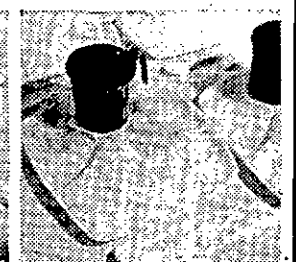
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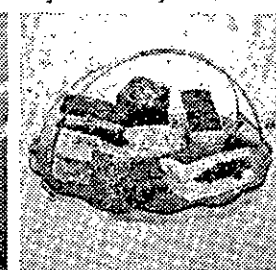
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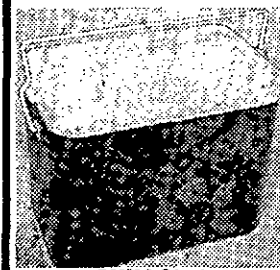


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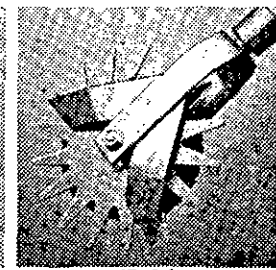
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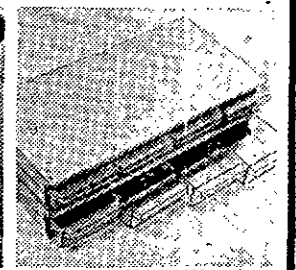
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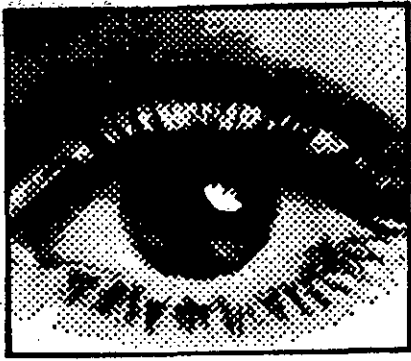
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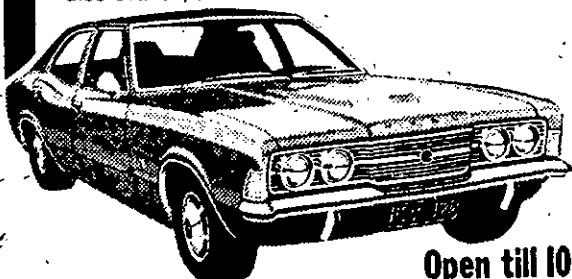
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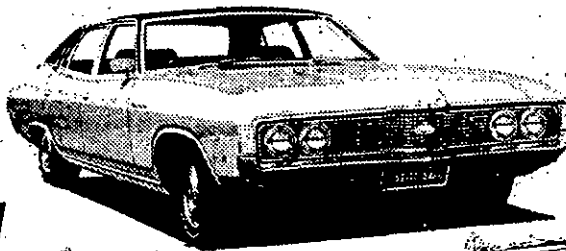
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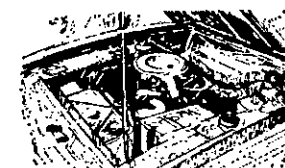


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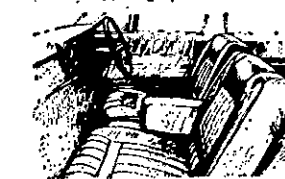
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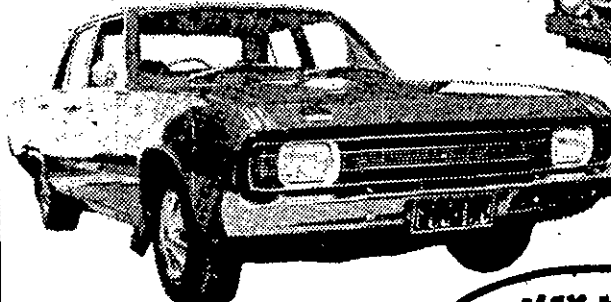
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Inspect bodywork for obvious defects in panels, look for rust. Ensure doors close smoothly and lock securely, headlights, parking and stop lights work effectively. Turn indicators in working order? Look for unevenly worn tyres.



UNDER THE BONNET
Test the engine for starting, smooth idling, undue exhaust, is the engine clean, no oil leaks. Listen for excessive noise. Test drive to check acceleration and power. Clutch, gears, steering and braking, electrical and cooling systems.



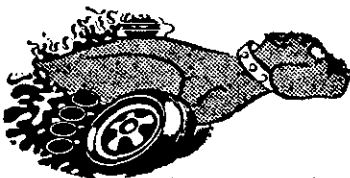
INTERIOR
Check floor, ceiling for cleanliness and condition, seating for upholstery springs. Check steering, accelerator and brake pedals, sun visors, dash panel, speedo, fuel gauge, etc.



SUNSHINE

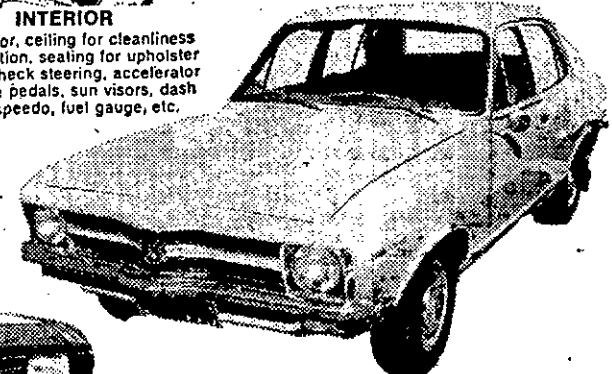
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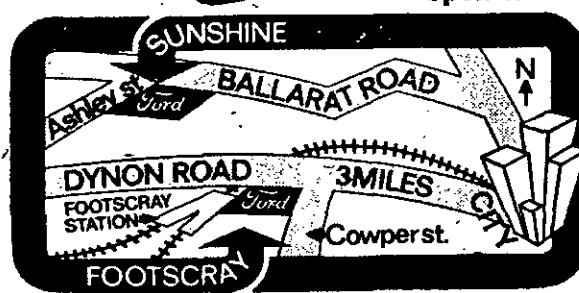
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